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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Douglas Gene Keithley

Appln. No.: 10/650,160

Filed: August 27, 2003

For: IMAGE FORMING DEVICE AND METHOD

Attorney Docket No: 13036-17 (MP0976)

Examiner: Not yet assigned

Art Unit: 2622

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Preliminary Amendment; Submission of Credit Card Payment; Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement; PTO-1449 form; copies of references B2-B5

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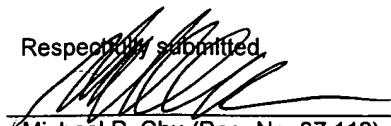
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Respectfully submitted,


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